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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: GATT, AS

SUBJECT: GATT COUNCIL ITEM ON AUSTRALIAN IMPORT RESTRICTIONS

REF: GENEVA 2927

EC HAS INSCRIBED THE FOLLOWING ITEM ON THE APRIL 27 COUNCIL  
AGENDA: RESTRICTIVE MEASURES APPLIED BY AUSTRALIA TO IMPORTS.  
ITEM CONCERNS 1975 AUSTRALIAN IMPORT RESTRICTIONS WHICH  
HAVE BEEN THE SUBJECT OF EC-AUSTRALIAN ARTICLE XIX CONSUL-  
TATIONS. CONSULTATIONS HAVE BEEN STALLED AWAITING OUTCOME  
OF AUSTRALIAN GOVERNMENT ACTION ON ITS INDUSTRY ASSISTANCE  
COMMISSION REPORTS. EC PLANS TO MAKE A GENERAL STATEMENT  
REPORTING ON THESE CONSULTATIONS (AND ADMITS THAT ITEM  
INSCRIBED IN RETALIATION FOR AUSTRALIAN ITEM ON EC BOVINE  
MEAT RESTRICTIONS PER REFTTEL.) DALE

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